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CONFERENCE

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- 1. GOA LOS CONFERENCE DELEGATION WILL BE HEADED BY SMAIL BENDIFFALAH, MFA DIRECTOR OF LEGAL AFFAIRS AND TREATIES. DELEGATION DEPUTY DIRECTOR IS BOUALEM BOUGUETAIA, CONSELOR, MINISTRY OF DEFENSE. OTHER DELEGATION MEMBERS ARE: MOHAMMED BEDJAOUI; PROFESSOR MADJID BENCHEIKH; PROFESSOR AHMED MAHIOU; MR. BOUGITAIA, LEGAL COUNSELOR; NAVY CAPTAIN GHODBANE; AHMED BOUTACHE, SECRETARY IN MFA.
- 2. PROFESSORS BENCHEIKH AND MAHIOU ARE PROFESSORS OF LAW HERE AND HAVE ATTENDED PREVIOUS LOS CONFERENCES. BENDIFFALAH AND BOUGUETAIA ALSO ATTENDED PREVIOUS LOS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CONFERENCES. AS ADDRESSEES MAY RECALL, MOHAMMED BEDJAOUI, PRESENT ALGERIAN AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE AND PERMREP AT UNESCO, IS PROBABLY COUNTRY'S BEST LEGAL MIND. HE HAS BEEN MEMBER UN INTERNATIONAL LAW COMMISSION SINCE 1965 AND WAS 1977 CHAIRMAN OF UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

3. BULK OF ALGERIAN LOS DELEGATION HAS ALREADY DEPARTED. DELEGATION LEADER BENDIFFALAH AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR BOUGUETAIA SCHEDULED TO DEPART ALGIERS AUGUST 20 OR AUGUST 21 AND WILL PROBABLY ARRIVE IN NEW YORK SOON AFTER CONFERENCE BEGINS.HAYNES

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